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VIA HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable Charles Terreni
Chief Clerk/Administrator
South Carolina Public Service Commission
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: South Carolina Electric & Gas Company - Annual Review of Base Rates for Fuel
Costs; Docket No. 2005-2-E

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned matter are the Direct Testimonies of Jeffrey B. Archie; Gerhard Haimberger; Joseph M. Lynch; Gene G. Soult; and John R. Hendrix. Please accept the original and twenty-five (25) copies of each for filing. Please acknowledge your receipt of these documents by file stamping the enclosed extra copies and then returning these file stamped copies via the courier.

By copy of this letter, I am also serving the General Counsel of the Office of Regulatory Staff with these Direct Testimonies as well as all intervenors and attach a certificate of service to that effect.

If there are any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

WILLOUGHBY & HOEFER, P.A.



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